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From: Farak, Sonja (DPH) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MASSMAIL-01/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SONJA.FARAK]
Sent: 12/15/2010 12:34:21 PM
To: Gulluni, Anthony (WES) [/O=COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS/OU=MASSMAIL-01/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=AGULLUNI]
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

Tony-

The only way we can amend the certs is to go through the police since we don't like adding "random" names to submissions without the police telling us to. The last time WSPD came in (Det. Paul Poole) was November 18th, so he is due in soon. In general, he comes in on Thursdays or Fridays, so you may want to get in touch with him ASAP since I'm guessing he'll be in this week or next.

Thanks for letting me know about the Rosado case today.

-Sonja

From: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Sent: Tuesday, December 14, 2010 3:51 PM
To: Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

Hey, Sonja. Thanks for the information. I was actually able to get the certs from the WSPD, and they are indeed the marijuana-related certs you list below. Funny, though, as it turns out, I just got word from defense counsel that he's looking to continue the matter. He's bringing forward the cases tomorrow to continue them, likely sometime into March, or later. So, while I am very appreciative of your efforts, I won't need you for this case on Thursday. But, while we're on the subject, is there any way you can amend the certs to reflect this defendant, [REDACTED] too? Let me know. But, again, thanks so much for your help, especially as it was on such short notice.

Tony

From: Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Sent: Tuesday, December 14, 2010 7:38 AM
To: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

OK, I looked up the names and came up with this: There were 4 samples submitted by the West Springfield PD on 4/23/09 to the lab, def. name listed on all 4 certs are [REDACTED]. The 4 submissions are:

[REDACTED]: White powder in 2 pbs; result = + 17.09g Cocaine
[REDACTED]: VM in 11 pbs; result = + Marijuana (less than one ounce)
[REDACTED]: VM in 1 pb; result = + Marijuana (less than one ounce)
[REDACTED]: VM in 2 pbs; result = + 116.10g Marijuana

All 4 were analyzed on 5/28/09 by me. I'm guessing that these are the submissions in question. Likewise, since you mentioned the case against [REDACTED] is poss. Class D w/intent, I'm guessing that the cocaine submission is not his. If you can't get the certs from the officers, we could probably print out another copy of them and fax them to you. As for my availability, I'm still waiting for a response from the ADA in Greenfield – I'll try giving him a call later this morning.

-Sonja

From: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Sent: Monday, December 13, 2010 6:14 PM
To: Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]

Hey, Sonja. Thanks for your prompt and informative response. From talking further with WSPD detectives, it looks like the certs are under the name of [REDACTED]. At this stage, I don't know what I'm going to do about the trial on Thursday -- there's been a snag at every turn. If you can find the certs related to the above names, let me know, but don't sweat it. I'm going to see if I can get them through the officers, so don't spend any significant time on it. I'll let you know what I find out. Thanks again,

Tony

From: Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Sent: Monday, December 13, 2010 7:41 AM
To: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Cc: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH)
Subject: RE: [REDACTED]
Tony-

I've looked in our system and the only sample for a [REDACTED] I see was submitted by Springfield on 8/18/10, which seems a like a long time for the police to hold on to it (though it is VM in 10 pbs). We don't have access to the State Police or DEA databases to be able to check there. Is it possible that that there were co-defendants that I could look up (i.e. ____ et al)? One other way to possibly find out the Drug Lab number (whether it be ours or the State Police's) would be to go to the grand jury since they should have a copy of it as well (Det. Kevin Burnham has told us that he gives a copy to the grand jury as well as a copy to the DA office).

As for our availability, I am scheduled to be in Greenfield on Thursday, though I still need to check in with them to see if I'm still needed. Jim Hanchett says he free all week, and, according to Rebecca's calendar (she is not in today), she is scheduled to be in North Adams.

I hope that some of this helped.

-Sonja

Sonja Farak
Drug Analysis Lab

From: Gulluni, Anthony (WES)
Sent: Friday, December 10, 2010 3:25 PM
To: Pontes, Rebecca (DPH); Farak, Sonja (DPH)
Subject: [REDACTED]

Hey, guys. I'm seeking some help: I have a defendant, [REDACTED], date of offense: 4/3/2009), charged with Class D possession with intent, for whom I do not have a drug analysis. What's complicated things is the fact that the arrest was a joint effort between the state police, DEA, West Springfield PD, and Springfield PD. The report indicated that the drugs were turned over to the WSPD for permanent keeping, but the WSPD can't seem to find an analysis. So, I'm wondering if you guys can find the analysis for me through your system. That's one thing. The other is

the matter is scheduled for trial on 12/16 (Thursday), but as you know this isn't a day that is allotted for drug cases (the case was rescheduled by a member of our administrative staff), so I'm also wondering if whoever did the cert can be available then. Well, thanks for your time and assistance. Hope you're both well. Thanks,

Anthony D. Gulluni
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